# **Non-UCITS Retail Scheme Key Investor** Information



This document provides you with key investor information about this fund. It is not marketing material. The information is required by law to help you understand the nature and the risks of investing in this fund. You are advised to read it so you can make an informed decision about whether to invest.

ASI MyFolio Managed V Fund, a Sterling denominated sub fund of the Aberdeen Standard OEIC III, Platform 1 Accumulation Shares (ISIN: GB00B7LL4310). This fund is managed by Aberdeen Standard Fund Managers Limited.

# **OBJECTIVES AND INVESTMENT POLICY**

## **Investment Objective**

To generate growth over the long term (5 years or more) while being managed to a defined level of risk. The fund is part of the MyFolio Managed range, which offers five funds with different expected combinations of investment risk and return. This fund is risk level V, which aims to be the highest risk fund in this range.

Risk Target: The defined level of risk referred to above that the management team is targeting is within the range of 70-110% of world stock markets (represented by the MSCI World Index, over 10 years). There is no certainty or promise that this target will be achieved. The Risk Target has been chosen as it represents a risk range which is appropriate for the fund.

Performance Comparator: For comparison purposes, investors can compare the fund's long term performance to a basket of assets (before charges) with a risk profile at the lower range of the Risk Target stated above (i.e. 70% of world stock markets), which the ACD considers appropriate given the investment policy and Risk Target of the fund. This basket is composed 25% FTSE All-Share Index, 45% MSCI World ex UK Index and 30% SONIA Index.

#### Investment Policy

#### **Portfolio Securities**

The fund will invest at least 60% in actively managed Aberdeen Standard Investment funds to obtain broad exposure to a range of diversified investments.

It may invest up to 40% in passively managed funds (including those managed by Aberdeen Standard Investments).
Typically, at least 80% of the fund will be invested in assets traditionally viewed as being higher risk such as such as equities (company shares), commercial property, alternative funds and company shares) to an emerging market government of the standard stand emerging market bonds (loans to an emerging market government). - The rest of the fund is invested in a selection of other assets such

## **RISK AND REWARD PROFILE**

Lower risk			Higher risk			
Typically lower rewards Typically higher rewards						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7

This indicator reflects the volatility of the fund's share price over the last five years which in turn reflects the volatility of the underlying assets in which the fund invests. Historical data may not be a reliable indication for the future.

The current rating is not guaranteed and may change if the volatility of the assets in which the fund invests changes. The lowest rating does not mean risk free.

The fund is rated as 5 because of the extent to which the following risk factors apply:

- The fund invests in securities which are subject to the risk that the issuer may default on interest or capital payments.
- The use of derivatives carries the risk of reduced liquidity, substantial loss and increased volatility in adverse market conditions, such as a failure amongst market participants. The use of derivatives may result in the fund being leveraged (where market exposure and thus the potential for loss by the fund exceeds the amount it has invested) and in these market conditions the effect of leverage will be to magnify losses.
- The fund invests in emerging market equities and / or bonds. Investing in emerging markets involves a greater risk of loss than investing in more developed markets due to, among other factors, greater political, tax, economic, foreign exchange, liquidity and regulatory risks.
- The fund invests in equity and equity related securities. These are sensitive to variations in the stock markets which can be volatile and change substantially in short periods of time.

as money market instruments including cash, government bonds (loans to a government) and investment grade corporate bonds (loans to a company) and funds that can use a combination of traditional assets (such as equities and bonds) and investment strategies based on derivatives.

### **Management Process**

- The management team use their discretion (active management) to select funds within each asset class and ensure that the strategic asset allocation (long-term proportions in each asset class) meets the fund's objectives.

- In addition, they will take tactical asset allocations (changing short term proportions in each asset class) with the aim of improving returns.

- Please note that the number contained in the fund name is not related to the SRRI contained in the Key Investor Information document (NURS-KII).

## **Derivatives and Techniques**

- The fund is not expected to invest in derivatives directly however it may invest in other funds which use derivatives more extensively.

Investors in the fund may buy and sell shares on any dealing day (as defined in the Prospectus).

If you invest in income shares, income from investments in the fund will be paid out to you. If you invest in accumulation shares, income will be added to the value of your shares.

Recommendation: the fund may not be appropriate for investors who plan to withdraw their money within five years. Investors should satisfy themselves that their attitude to risk aligns with the risk profile of this fund before investing.

- The fund invests in high yielding bonds which carry a greater risk of default than those with lower yields.
- The fund price can go up or down daily for a variety of reasons including changes in interest rates, inflation expectations or the perceived credit quality of individual countries or securities.

All investment involves risk. This fund offers no guarantee against loss or that the fund's objective will be attained.

The price of assets and the income from them may go down as well as up and cannot be guaranteed; an investor may receive back less than their original investment.

Inflation reduces the buying power of your investment and income.

The value of assets held in the fund may rise and fall as a result of exchange rate fluctuations.

The fund could lose money if an entity (counterparty) with which it does business becomes unwilling or unable to honour its obligations to the fund.

In extreme market conditions some securities may become hard to value or sell at a desired price. This could affect the fund's ability to meet redemptions in a timely manner.

The fund could lose money as the result of a failure or delay in operational processes and systems including but not limited to third party providers failing or going into administration.

## **CHARGES**

The charges you pay are used to pay the costs of running the fund including marketing and distributing it. These charges reduce the potential growth of your investment.

#### One-off charges taken before or after you invest

Entry charge	0.00%
Exit charge	0.00%

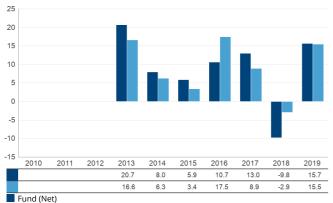
These are the maximum charges that we might take out of your money before it is invested and before we pay out the sale proceeds of your investment. In some cases, you might pay less and you should speak to your financial adviser about this.

#### Charges taken from the fund over a year

Ongoing charges	0.90%				
Charges taken from the fund under certain specific conditions					
Performance fee	0.00%				

## PAST PERFORMANCE

ASI MyFolio Managed V Fund, Platform 1 Accumulation Shares, 31 December 2019 % Returns



Performance Comparator - Please see narrative

#### PRACTICAL INFORMATION

Name of Depositary: Citibank Europe plc, UK Branch, Citigroup Centre, Canada Square, Canary Wharf, London E14 5LB.

Further information about Aberdeen Standard OEIC III (Prospectus, report & accounts) can be found at www.aberdeenstandard.com, where documents may be obtained free of charge.

Other practical information (e.g. where to find latest share prices) can be found in documents held at www.aberdeenstandard.com.

Details of the up to date remuneration policy which includes a description of how remuneration and benefits are calculated, the identities of the persons responsible for awarding remuneration and benefits and the composition of the remuneration committee, are available at www.aberdeenstandard.com and a paper copy will be available free of charge upon request from Aberdeen Standard Fund Managers Limited. Prospective investors should consult their own professional advisers on the potential tax consequences of acquiring, holding or selling shares.

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Aberdeen Standard Fund Managers Limited may be held liable solely on the basis of any statement contained in this document that is misleading, inaccurate or inconsistent with the relevant parts of the Prospectus for the Aberdeen Standard OEIC III.

Other share classes are available in the fund and further information about these can be found in the Aberdeen Standard OEIC III.

Aberdeen Standard OEIC III is an umbrella structure comprising a number of different sub funds, one of which is this fund.

The entry and exit charges shown are maximum figures. In some cases you might pay less - you can find this out from your financial adviser.

The Ongoing Charges figure reflects the amount based on the expenses within the annual report for each financial year. This figure may vary from year to year. It excludes: performance fees (where applicable); portfolio transaction costs, except in the case of an entry/exit charge paid by the fund when buying or selling in another collective investment undertaking.

Where the Fund invests in an open-ended collective investment scheme which is operated or managed by the ACD/the Manager or an associate of the ACD/the Manager, no additional annual management charge will be incurred by the Fund on such an investment.

The annual report for each financial year will include detail on the exact charges made.

The Ongoing Charge figure is as at 31/12/2019.

A switching charge may be applied in accordance with the Prospectus. For more information about charges please see Prospectus.

Further information on the charges can be found in the Prospectus.

Past performance is not a guide to future performance.

Performance is net of charges and does not take into account any entry, exit or switching charges but does take into account the ongoing charge, as shown in the Charges section.

Performance is calculated in GBP.

The fund was launched in 2010. The share/unit class was launched in 2012.

Performance Comparator - 25% FTSE All-Share 45% MSCI World ex UK 30% SONIA (GBP).

This document is specific to the fund and share class stated at the beginning of this document. However, the Prospectus, annual and half-yearly reports are prepared for the entire umbrella.

The assets of a sub fund within the umbrella belong exclusively to that sub fund and shall not be used or made available to discharge (directly or indirectly) the liabilities of, or claims against, any other person or body including Aberdeen Standard OEIC III and any other sub fund. Any liability incurred on behalf of or attributable to any sub fund shall be discharged solely out of the assets of that sub fund.

Investors may switch their shares in the fund for shares in another sub fund within Aberdeen Standard OEIC III. For further information please refer to the Prospectus (section on 'Switching') which can be found at www.aberdeenstandard.com.

Aberdeen Standard OEIC III and Aberdeen Standard Fund Managers Limited are authorised in the United Kingdom and regulated by the Financial Conduct Authority. This key investor information is accurate as at 13/08/2020.

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